## **NEW YEAR IN PARIS ENGLAND FACING** IS A SUMMER'S DAY

Millerand Renews Presidential Reception First Time in Six Years.

## King of England Greets

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the Elysee Palace.
Representatives of many nations took the opportunity to pay their respects to the French President. Among these was the German Ambassador. Crowds outside the palace cheered the distinguished visitors as they arrived, but when the German Ambassador was recognized he was allowed to pass in silence. Hugh C. Wallace, the American Ambassador, did not attend the reception, as he is passing the holidays in the South of France.

## LONDON CELEBRATION

### Revellers Face Appeals, However, for Unemployed.

London, Jan. 1.—London's prosperous ness with a bankrupt world. That point section halled the advent of the New Certainly has not arrived yet. If it does arrive it will be an enlightened self in the thing seen since January 1, 1914. The with it at all." revellers turned their backs upon the grim bogie of hard times, but its shadow, nevertheless, crossed their paths in the form of collectors of funds for the unemployed, who shook money boxes on street corners and in the porticoes of hotels.

The large West End restaurants and hotels vied with one another in staging attractions for their patrons, and were lavish in planning the decorations of their bailrooms and dining rooms. With it at all."

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fooded with sunshine and in the great crowds that turned out there were many without overcoats and wraps. It was almost like a summer scene.

The ideal weather naturally increased the interest in the Presidential New Year's reception, which after six years was revived by President Millerand at the Elysee Palace.

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### Not Expecting Philanthropy.

There is little talk here of the once popular all around cancellation of these burdens. An important Treasury official said to THE NEW YORK HERALD correspondent here to-day:

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The people generally found cause for rejoicing in the fact that the warm weather has made it unnecessary to heat houses, which has resulted in a great saving of coal. Moreover, meteorologists say the warm temperature is to continue for some time.

LONDON CELEBRATION

GAYEST SINCE 1914

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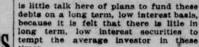
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"What Great Britain owes the United States, is on the other hand, a good debt. The United States cannot be expected to give up this good debt because we give up a bad one. There is only one situation in which this can happen. That is if America finds she cannot do busi-

their ballrooms and dining rooms.

Dancing and merriment continued until to commit themselves. Much light to this morning.



with J. P. Morgan & Co. last fall.

Will Delay Government Loan.

In fact, if the French budget is not sliced too deeply by Parliament it is even possible that France will offer a portion of the interest on the Treasury loan, but in official circles here it is not believed that this will eventuate, inasmuch as it would provoke Great Britain to a continuance of her independent financial action, which the French are anxious to see relegated for a wider policy of cooperation in connection with allied debts to America. The necessity for this is apparent, since Great Britain has agreed only tentatively not to ask

ENGLAND FACING

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By the Associated Press.

Berlin, Jan. 1.—The growing stability recorded in German political and economic activities is chiefly an accomplishment of the last six months. It is accounted for in the active resumption of important pre-war industries, reopening of former markets overseas and betterment in the labor situation. Whether these beginnings toward an economic revival in industries, finances and exports can be maintained on a constantly ascending scale during 1921 is a matter of conjecture, at least until Germany gets a precise and definite interpretation of the financial and reparation clauses of the treaty.

Germany is threatened with a huge increase in the public payroll. Her "paper deluge" at the beginning of the year is generally suspected of being well in excess of eighty billions. The labyrinth of deficits and billion mark expenditures is in a chaotic state, with revenues which are to a large extent on paper or are arbitrarily estimated. The Government's financial policies thus far have been wholly inadequate to cope with the confusion prevailing

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THE January Sale of Oriental Silks and Cottons bears a message of vital interest and economy to women who are seeking fabrics for Spring apparel, for Southern wear or for the furnishing of homes. The variety and beauty of the silks and cottons are characteristic of Vantine standards and the drastic price reductions make purchases advisable whether or not there is an immediate need for the materials.

### SILKS FOR DRESSES

6,500 yards of Wash Silks in checks, stripes or plain colors.

Formerly \$4.75 yd. Reduced to \$1.97 yd.

3,000 yards of Canton Silks in solid . colors; suitable for Rompers, girls'

Formerly \$3.00 yd. Reduced to \$2.00 yd.

Genuine Chinese Pongee; suiting quality; 33 inches wide.

Formerly \$3.50. Reduced to \$2.35

DRAPERY SILKS

Colored Japanese Habutai Silk, 27 inches wide; a serviceable silk suitable for many purposes.

> Formerly \$1.50 yd. Reduced to \$1.00 yd.

Printed Japanese Silk in Oriental designs on colored grounds; 27 inches wide; suitable for Kimonos or decorating

purposes.

NO C. O. D.'s

Formerly \$1.75 yd. Reduced to \$1.17 yd.

Colored Japanese Habutai; 36 inches Formerly \$2.00 yd. Reduced to \$1.34 yd.

At 1/2 Price-

Metal Brocade of interest to interior decorators and manufacturers of bags, fancy shoes or novelties, as well as the many women who use these silks for the decorations of homes; 50 inches wide; in blue and silver; black and gold; white and gold or gold.

Formerly \$15.00 yd. Reduced to \$7.50 yd.

2,000 yards of Chinese Damask Brocades in various Oriental Colors; 27 thches Formerly \$5.50 yd. Reduced to \$3.67 yd.

Crinkled Crepe, in shades suitable for street and evening wear, including white or black, 42 inches wide.

Formerly \$6.50 yd. Reduced to \$4.34 yd.

Brocaded Canton Crepe, in white, colors or black, a new silk we have re-cently imported; 42 inches wide. Formerly \$10.50 yd. Reduced to \$7.00 yd.

### COTTON GOODS

15,000 yards of Japanese Cotton Crepe in an assortment of popular solid colors; 30 inches wide.

Formerly 85c. yd. Reduced to 35c. yd.

500 Laundry Bags of blue and white Japanese stenciled toweling. Specially priced 95c. each.

Iapanese Table Cloths in blue and white designs; specially priced.

75c ea. 30 inches square, 36 inches square, 1.00 ea. 45 inches square, 1.50 ea. Doilies to match; 12 inches square. \$1.00 doz.

1,500 pieces of Japanese stenciled Toweling in 3 designs of white and blue; each piece 12 inches wide and 101/2 yards long. Formerly \$2.00 yd.

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The First of the January Sales—Watch for Other Economies \$

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Reduced to \$1.35 yd.



MONDAY

TUESDAY

Taffeta and Canton Crepe

DRESSES



In answer to the great demand we have secured some more of these remarkable dresses.

These new models feature velvet ribbon trimmings, georgette combined with taffeta and other new effects.



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## Wilson and the Nation

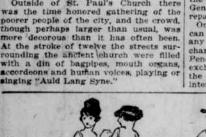
WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.-In a New Year's message to President Wilson to-day King George

of England said:
"At the begining of the new year, Mr. President, I hasten to offer to you my cordial wishes for your happiness and welfare and for the prosperity of the United States of Amer-

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the last ten days. Paris was favored

Outside of St. Paul's Church there was the time honored gathering of the poorer people of the city, and the crowd, though perhaps larger than usual, was more decorous than it has often been. At the stroke of twelve the streets surrounding the ancient church were filled with a din of bagpipes, mouth organs, accordoons and human voices, playing or singing "Auld Lang Syne."





### Announcing Maxon's Semi-Annual Clearance Sale

OMMENCING Monday, January 3, all the fine collections of Maxon's exquisite Street Dresses —Afternoon, Dinner and Evening Gowns—Dance Frocks—Tailored Suits — Day Coats — Wraps — will be offered

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wondrously charming, and the pricings too surprisingly low, to enable us to be specific. So we shall say merely that during this sale, one can obtain here "Three Unusual Costumes at the Usual Price of

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The stocks are too large, the costumes too

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